

K M M Z

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed .. AUGUST 10, 1979

Call Letters .. KMMZ

Station Location .. GREYBULL, WYOMING

ROBERT D. ZELLMER and MARJORIE M. ZELLMER dba
Name .. KMMZ BROADCASTERS, INC.

Transmitter Location .. 2.7 miles S. of Greybull along hwy. 16/20 Greybull, Wyoming

Main studio location .. Same as TL

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BP-21,032 CP FOR A NEW STATION.	3-16-79	1140KHz. 5kW Daytime	3-16-80
BP-21,032 (1)	5/7/79	CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED & EBSA ISSUED	
BL-790507AL(L)	8-10-79	Lic. to cover BP-21032 for NEW AM Station	10-1-80
BP-800515AF (L)	1-27-81	1140khz -- 10kw DAYTIME CP to increase power.	1-27-82
BR800415UB (S)	9-30-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	10-1-83
BP-800515AF (L)	1-27-81	SUPERSEDE TO CORRECT THE <u>NON-</u> DIRECTIONAL ANTENNA DAY.	

May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
LettersKMMZ
NEW

Name Robert D. Zellmer and Marjorie M. Zellmer dba KMMZ Broadcasters
 Greybull, Wyoming (PO P.O. BOX 466, Wray, Colorado 80758)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-21,032 R&F PN FILED PRESS:	10-3-77	Construction permit for new Standard broadcast station on: Frequency: 1140KHz Power: 5kw Hours of operation: Daytime trans CCA AM-5000D TL&SL; 2.7 miles South of Greybull along Highway Greybull, Wyoming 44 27 01 108 02 56 ATTY:----- ENGR:-----	GRANTED	3-16-79
	10-7-77			
	11-10-77			
	SEP 25 1978			
AMENDED	12-26-78	articles of Incorporation and by-laws		
Amended	R & F 1-23-79	re: communities to be served		

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1140KHz.

Form BC-121

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

LettersK.M.N.Z.....

Name ROBERT D. ZELLMER AND MAJORIE M. ZELLMER DBA KMMZ BROADCASTERS
GREYBULL, WYOMING

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
LETTER DATED: PRESS (O)	5-7-79 JUN 11 1979	Filed by Robert D. Zellmer Request for Dual City Identification as: GREYBULL-BASIN, WYOMING.	Gr.	9-11-79
BL-790507AL R & F PTA PRESS	5-7-79 5-25-79	Lic. to cover BP-21,032 for NEW AM STATION	GRANTED	8-10-79
BP-800515AF (C)	6-30-80	Construction permt to increase power to 10KW Public Notice (OVER)	GRANTED Con'd	1-27-81
BR 800415 UB PRESS	JUL 18 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-30-80

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

1140 kHz

Call Letters: K M M Z

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Name: KMMZ BROADCASTERS, INC.

Station Location: GREYBULL, WYOMING

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BL-810414AB R & F PRESS MAR 22 1981	4-1-81	Lic. to cover (BP-800515AF as mod.) Atty: ---	

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

